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SUBJECT: SPECIAL SELF-HELP FUNDS (SSH) FY 1975

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DEPARTMENTS CALCULATION IN PARA 5 REFTEL IS CORRECT THAT DOLS 31,500 REMAIN UNOBLIGATED IN FY 1975 SELF HELP FUNDS. POST HAS PLANS TO PROPOSE TO USE REMAINDER, PLUS WE HOPE A FOURTH TRANCHE OF ABOUT DOLS 20,000, FOR A SLAUGHTERHOUSE COLD STORAGE AND FREEZER PROJECT IN BUJUMBURA. WE ARE FULLY AWARE THAT SPECIAL AUTHORIZATION FROM DEPARTMENT WILL BE NEEDED, SINCE COST OVER DOLS 25,000, BUT WE BELIEVE COMPELLING POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC JUSTIFICATION CAN BE GIVEN IN THIS INSTANCE. DETAILED EXPLANATORY LETTER FROM DCM TO SEGALL (AF/EPS) WAS POUCHED FEBRUARY 22 UNDER REGISTRATION NUMBER 694286. WE WILL PRESENT CASE FORMALLY BY TELEGRAM IF, AS WE ARE NOW REASONABLY CONFIDENT, WE HAVE EARLY BREAKTHROUGH ON CURRENT POLITICAL IMPASSE RE TRAVEL RESTRICTIONS, WHICH HAS CAUSED TEMPORARY SUSPENSION OF BILATERAL COOPERATION PROJECTS.

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